An arrogant Roman Catholic priest of Ancon, Canal Zone, remarried a by a Protestant chaplain, and insolently made the following notation on the second marriage license returned for record: N. B .- "No Catholic parties can be married by ministers who do not belong to the Roman Catholic church, but only by Roman Catholic priests. Otherwise the marriage will be void and the parties remain free to be married by some other person. And the children whom they may have are looked upon as unlawful. This is for all the world and every nation." When the attention of Gov. Harding, of the Canal Zone, was called to the matter, he condemned the issuing of a second marriage license as unlawful and rebuked the priest for attempting to place the law of the papacy above that of the land. But such is the law of Rome as set forth in the notorious No Temere papal decree. The American law prevails only because Rome is yet unable to enforce its conflicting edicts.

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steadfast manner in which they are standing by the paper dur-ing the most critical time of its history, and to assure them that they are going to be repaid for their loyalty in the hardest battle against the encroachments of papal autocracy that it is within our power to wage.

The great victory of the Free Press Defense League over the enemy in Saginaw, Michigan, detailed on the front page of this issue, shows what can be accomplished when we are for-tified with a strong organization, well represented in every locality where the enemy is entrenched.

If we can only arouse the great unawakened masses of the people and make them see the pitfall into which they are about to plunge because of their indifference, then such organization will be possible, and with the coming of such organization of the patriotic forces as THE MENACE is seeking to bring about will go the last hope of the Roman Catholic hierarchy to Romanize America and enslave the

Sometimes it seems like a hopeless task, yet we never lose courage because we know that every great movement for the emancipation of man-kind has had its fat and lean sea-Good money made at home knitting howlery. Machines furnished on time. We pay you fixed rates for making the goods the year round. Wheeler, Inc., A-337 Madison. Chicago.

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> That we will win this fight, and that the perpetuity of our free schools thoughtful citizen of Milwaukee, wis-and every other institution we hold consin, having become justly indignear and dear will be sustained, is nant over the persistent attacks on just as sure as we keep our attention our public school system by Roman riveted upon the issue until this princes, prelates, priests, federations mighty world conflict is over, and the and press, and knowing that prison flect soberly upon its cause and its and reformatory statistics prove that mighty import.

> The thing that we are most anxious to impress upon the minds of the members of THE MENACE Army—the men and women who give the paper lic schools, determined recently to its only sustenance, which is a consubmit some statistical data in behalf tinuous inflow of new subscriptionsis the necessity of keeping the flame It may be he was not aware that the of agitation burning until the world's Roman Catholic Index had taken the reason has been restored and men resume the paths of peace.

> in a blaze of glory, to find that every in the secular press of America until opposition formerly encountered has been swept away. That was her object in helping to foment the strife which is now threatening the very foundations of civilization, and it is know that the Roman Catholic hier-

we are determined that she shall not not be discussed in our so-called free blow out the light of civilization, as press. Or it may be that knowing the she strove to do in the fifteenth cen- reality of this infamous nation-wide tury, and substitute in its stead the effort of the great "black hand" interlight of the faggot and the stake. We believe that every patriotic cit-izen in the nation would be with us enemy of free discussion and fundaheart and soul in this endeavor if mental democracy in Western civiliza-

the greatest task to which we can tion to Rome's war on fundamental apply ourselves at this time, and the democracy, are as impossible in the fact that we are at war is the great-est reason we could have why we should work harder at the task than

We plead with you, therefore, not to lose an opportunity to get a new subscription for THE MENACE. Every man who lives largely does not live for self alone—he has some cause next to his heart to which he devotes

# :- LITTLE LESSONS IN DEMOCRACY

The master aim of this paper under the ownership and management of the Free Press Defense League is (1) to educate and ground America's milthe supreme source and sovereign power, from all forms of class rule, also seeks to arouse and educate our sleeping millions (by the only truly democratic method-that of free discussion and appeals to the reason) to a realization of the deadly peril al-ready in our midst. It seeks first to break the power of the Roman Catholic Index or censorship which obtains from ocean to ocean; and secondly, by the marshalling of incontrovertible facts and by appeals to reason, to the supreme and overshadowing men-HE circulation man wishes to ace to Fundamental Democracy is take advantage of this oppor- found in the insidious and rapid potunity to compliment the men litical aggressions of the most power-on the Firing Line for the ful, sinister and implacable foe of assembly and of popular sovereignty among all forms of monarchial rule that has warred on popular sovereignty and free institutions since the Dec-

educational journal. Unlike party in our land and the presence of most papers, it is not published for private profit. All incomes in excess of operating expenses go into the treasury of the Free Press Defense League to further the great educational propagands campaign TO MAKE AMER-ICA SAFE FOR DEMOCRACY.

The master aim of this paper until tion, the rise of a strong militaristic party in our land and the presence of widely ramified selfish interests, representing predatory wealth, all interests and most fundamental statesmen and jurists have insistently demanded that the integrity of each of these coordinate departments be jealously guarded, inasmuch as the encroachment of one upon the principles and provisions which distinguish our government and which

to educate and ground America's millions in the basic principles of the Liberal Democracy of the DECLARA-TION OF INDEPENDENCE AND OUR FEDERAL CONSTITUTION, or to make perfectly clear the distance of the distance of the make perfectly clear the distance of the distance of the make perfectly clear the distance of the make this republic the greatest democratic force and teacher known to history. Hence in addition to the illustrations set forth in our news or to make perfectly clear the distinguishing glories of Fundamental Democracy—those principles and provisions which differentiate a government that holds that the people are the fatal and widely ramified reactions of this democracy-destroying encroachtics. the fatal and widely ramified reac- this democracy-destroying encroachtionary influences so actively at work in and out of our governmental mawhether absolute monarchy, bureauc-racy, hierarchy or any other form of class despotism. (2) THE MENACE provision for the three coordinate provision for the three coordinate divisions of government which were intended to complement each other and preserve the balance essential to freedom, justice and the rights of every citizen.

### of Government

The master builders of this great republic realized the fact abundantly convince every unbiased citizen that established by history and experience that any class, exercising power, even though it be delegate power, if long unchecked, would in time become despotic, and they wisely provided for what is known as the checks and freedom of thought, speech, press and balance in our system of government. They established three coordinate departments of government, each independent but complementing the other departments. The legislative division evidence, as well as judicial encroach-

the balance and open the door for despotic aggression. Has this vital provision been con-

scientiously respected in recent years? No! Time and again during the past quarter of a century the executive and judicial departments have arrogated legislative and other functions protests of famous judges and wise ment will be noted in succeeding les-

In the present paper we wish to facts that every true patriot should cisco. firmly grasp.

Unless the proper functions of the three coordinate departments are jealously guarded our Fundamental Democracy is not only in deadly peril, Three Coordinate Departments but sooner or later it will give place to autocratic despotism, partly due to people. In the second place all patriots should remember that in recent years the integrity of the three coordinate departments have been flagrantly disregarded with the result that bureaucracy of the type of that recently discredited and overthrown in Russia has been time and again in

Orleans will devote a few columns to the abuse of Florida and its people, and that a fresh wail of "bigotry" will go the rounds of the Catholic press. All of which will go to show that Florida is a pretty good state for people who desire to be free from the Roman yoke. In the meantime we commend the action of the Pasco county, Florida, school board as one means of freeing our schools from means of freeing our schools from the insidious Romanist influences, that follow the hiring of oath-bound Romanists.

### POST OFFICE CASE IN SAN FRANCISCO

Menace Declared "Undeliverable" Because of "No Such Number" --- Had Lived There 11 Years

The practice of some postmasters and their papist assistants is past comprehension, save on the theory that they are doing as they do to injure this paper and separate it from its subscribers. For instance, note clearly bring before our readers two the following case from San Fran-

In March we received one of those form cards from the post office at San Francisco, filled in with the statement that THE MENACE could not be delivered to Mrs. S. A. Allen, 4700 Geary St., that city, for the alleged official's impatience with the public reason that there is "no such numwill and partly because of the sinister ber." We immediately wrote to Mrs. influences of monarchial and class in- Allen at the same address. The letter erests attempting to circumvent and was delivered, and brought reply defeat the supreme sovereignty of the dated April 18 from which we quote as follows:

Your letter of the 6th inst. at hand. My address is 4700 Geary Street, San Francisco, Cal.; and I have been living at this address since 1906. \* \* I and other members of the family are receiving mail every day directed to the above address.

On April 24 we wrote the San Francisco postmaster as follows: Postmaster, San Francisco, Calif.

departments. The legislative division of Independence threw the gage of Liberal Democracy in the face of every form of class despotism. The increasing activity of the Roman Catholic Political Machine and its bold assaults on the most cherished guarantees of our Federal Constitutions; while the judiciary was to guarantees of our Federal Constitutions.

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Will you please investigate this matter, and see that the unfaithful servant of the government is properly divising that she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid the unfaithful servant of the government is properly divising the properly divising the present development of the face of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid. Our subscriber of the paper for which she had paid the unfaithful servant of the government is present day perils to our form the paper for which she had paid the present development of the paper for which she had

Free Press Defense League and Menace Publishing Co.

This letter elicited the amazingly stupid reply which follows:

The Menace Publishing Co., Post Office, Aurora, Mo. San Francisco, Cal. Gentlemen: Referring again to your letter of the 24th ultimo concerning the non-delivery of a copy of "The Menace" to Mrs. S. A. Allen, 4700 Geary Street, San Francisco, California:

Californis:

Investigation has shown that the carrier who serves the 4700 block of Geary Street is very familiar with the location of Mrs. S. A. Allen as he has delivered mail to her for a long time. Had the copy in question reached his hands it would have been delivered promptly and correctly.

It appears, however, that many of these papers are arriving with the names of addressees and streets and numbers not clearly

printed. It is probable that in this instance the paper as a result of blurred address was cased to another carrier and the report of "No such number" followed.

It was then destroyed and your complaint was

received later.
When your publications are received clearly and correctly addressed they will be correctly delivered without delay. Very truly, CHAS. W. FAY, Postmaster. TMC-M

The intelligent reader will note, to begin with, that our letter of April 24th was not "concerning the nondelivery of a copy of THE MENACE" but was concerning a FALSE STATEMENT made to us on government stationery by someone in the San Francisco post office. Postmaster Fay, or his assistant, trys to get by the question at issue like some cheap backswoods pettifogger-by talking vigorously about something wholly foreign to the subject.

No more pertinent to the subject in hand is Postmaster Fay's informa- G. A. Buxton, who resigned from a tion concerning the carrier on 4700 Protestant pulpit in Council Bluffs, block, Geary St. And now comes the Ia., some months ago, had joined the booby excuse that papers reach the San Francisco post office with ad- did nothing of the kind, and is today dresses not clearly printed. Possibly busy preaching from Protestant pulthey do. But if the address on Mrs. pits; but the story has been reprinted Allen's paper was too poorly printed for the carrier to decipher it, how they are unfit for Catholic children could he send her correct address on the card together with the statement that "there was no such number?"

This is about as silly a response as THE MENACE has received from any source in the several years of its existence. It can be accounted for only as a product of gross ignorance or of studied rascality. It is very clear that someone has access to the interior of the San Francisco post office who could resign or be discharged without

detriment to the service. This is but one of many cases recent and continuing in which lying reports are forged in post offices on government stationery, and trans-mitted by mail to this office for the unquestionable purpose and with the undeniable intent of damaging this paper and defrauding its subscribers. We are hoping that the postal authorities may some day take enough interest in their proper duties to act upon the evidence and stop such criminal work.

#### Phelps on the Trail of

The Black Monarchy It is not too much, we think, to say that It is not too much, we think, to say that tens of thousands of Menace readers in Oregon. Washington and Idaho will hear with joy the news that Guy Fitch Phelps, the brilliant author of The Brack Prophet. The Battle-Born and others of the most powerful novels of our day, will make arrangements for winter lecture work in the above named states. Some of his time is already arranged for, but patriots desiring to secure the services of our wreatest anti-popular poyelist, who is

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ganization papers are right in our

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rumors concerning the propogation of religions of feligions destrines in the public schools of Pasco county, and WHEREAS: This is in violation of the laws of the state (if the said rumor be true). Therefore be it RESOLVED: By the Board of Public Instruction of Pasco county, that the said board relieve said conditions by refusing to employ teachers who have church relations whip other than church membership."

Copy of minutes of the Board of Public Instruction in session, April 5-19, 1917. English have fulled them.

It is to be expected that Bishop Curley will have another spasm of indignation and write more letters; also, that the Morning Star of New DEMOCRACY.

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Vital Statistics Showing Superiority of Public Schools Over Parochial Training Barred From the Public Press---Eighty-five Percent of the Inmates of Milwaukee Reformatory Found to Have Been Trained In Parochial Schools---Editor Would Not Publish Article

peal with compelling power to all patriotic Americans who recognize in racy, but of law, order and sound

morality. A public-spirited and highly the vast majority of criminals in proportion to population came from the Roman Catholic homes and her parochial schools, and not from the pubof our non-sectarian public schools.

place of the democratic theory of absolute, full and free discussion of all Rome hopes to come out of the war vital questions which was the practice not her expectation that a single archy had decreed that vital public enemy will survive the conflict. We are determined to give her the religio-political character, no less national organization which has they could but know the situation and tion, he desired to give Rome-drugged understand the purpose of our propa- America a concrete example of how yital publicity in behalf of the pub-To get this information to them is lic schools, like vital publicity in relagovernment of the vatican and consequently responsive to the Congregation of the Index. If the latter was his purpose, he succeeded most admir-

ably, as will be seen from the followman who lives largely does not live for self alone—he has some cause next to his heart to which he devotes some of his time and means. We can assure any man who wishes to do something for mankind that he can do nothing more noble than to help us preserve and carry forward this great propaganda in the interest of American liberty and free institutions during the dark days of the world's greatest conflict.

Remember, friends, as we have told you time and again, there is one part of this work that we are absolutely unable to perform—that is the work of getting new readers. We can do all the rest, even bear all the brunt of the battle, in the courts or wherever it may fall, but it is up to you to put us in touch with the man we must have if we are to win the fight.

Will you not resolve, then, that concerned you will introduce The Menace to just as many strangers as you possibly can? If you will do this, and if all our friends will do it, there is no doubt of the results.

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To the Editor of The Milwaukee Journal:

The following statistics are taken from the following statistics are taken from the Milwaukee County House of Correction of the Lourent of the Editor of The Milwaukee County House of Correction of the Lourent of the better, in 1919, 2,956 committed, 1,881 were Catholic, 581 were Lutheran, and 558 others. In 1911, 2,957 committed, 1,592 were Catholic, 554 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1912, 2,572 committed, 1,592 were Catholic, 554 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1913, 2,950 committed, 1,592 were Catholic, 554 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1913, 2,950 committed, 1,592 were Catholic, 554 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1913, 2,950 committed, 1,592 were Catholic, 550 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1913, 2,950 committed, 1,591 were Catholic, 560 were Lutheran, and 569 others. In 1916, 2,572 committed, 1,592 were Ca ing recent correspondence:

(Signed)

Your communication, which we are returning to you today, is more largely a discussion
of religion than of parochial schools, and as
the discussion of religion is barred from this
department of The Journal, we are unable to

Yours very traly.
THE MILWAUKEE JOURNAL. raised in the above letter from Mr. Sponkolz are of overshadowing interest to friends of the public schools and upholders of the democratic theory of government, which demands that all vital issues or questions of shall receive full, fair and free public consideration and criticism.

Since the publication of the Syllatheir children to these schools, which have been denounced as "Godless, "Immoral" and "gates of Hell." And false statements, slander and calumny is met by a simple, telling, and irre futable object lesson such as the pub-

Jesuitical forces in America. In the presence of these persistent children and their "Godless" (?) attacks on our public school system, teachers they are forced to maintain nothing is more vitally important than that the people should enjoy the fullest and freest discussion of the question, and that such discussion should be free from reckless and unsupported charges on the one hand, while all the light that can possibly be thrown on the question from au-thoritative statistics should be employed in order to arrive at the truth. Nothing could be more convincing or tics toward Rome and away from the helpful in the way of establishing that relative morality of the papal and the democratic systems of schooling than the statistics of houses of the school system which would othercorrection, prisons and penitentiaries, which throw the searchlight of truth in a most revealing manner upon the rival educational systems or the comparative results as seen by the operation of the free democratic theory of education and that of the monarchial papal theory. This is a fact so manifest that it would be accepted as a self-evident truism were it not for the censorship of the American press by organized Jesuitism in America which has succeeded in placing the ban on free discussion of questions vital to the life of free institutions, but which Rome does not wish the American people to consider, as such consideration would be fatal to her campaign for conquering the republic. The Knights of Columbus and other Jesuitical bodies of Rome know full well that the slander and false charges constantly made by prelates, priests and the Roman press against the free schools of America would not stand one hour in the presence of the full and free publicity that the press gives to all vital questions not cen-

Here is a news item that should ap- by one common school, and thereby put the of scores of instances that might be all with compelling newer to all no. House of Correction out of business.

The facts given and the questions great public interest and concern RACY?

bus of Pius IX, as far back as 1869, the anathemas of Rome from the papal throne, from the chairs of the prelates and from priests and the hierarchial press, have been hurled at our non-sectarian schools. Catholics have been warned against sending yet when this infamous campaign of lication of illuminating statistics, we find the daily press of America subserviently carrying out the wishes of to attend and that to protect their

sored by Rome. The above illustration is but one

cited as showing how completely the organized Jesuitical forces of political Romanism have succeeded in stifling not only free discussion, but vital statistical publicity where facts favor our free institutions and run counter

of government. In the presence of this democracydestroying Roman Catholic Index in our own republic, how can any Protestant minister longer remain tonguetied or indifferent? How can any lover of our flag and what it represents fail to enlist with hand and heart and material means in the great organized campaign TO MAKE AMERICA SAFE FOR DEMOC-

# FLORIDA EDUCATORS **DEAL BLOW TO ROME**

Report That Rome's "Sisters, Teaching in Schools, Had Been Promulgating Papal Religion Responsible for Action

It is generally known that the Cath-

olic church considers the public schools so "Godless" and immoral that the Congregation of the Index and its children from contamination or association with the terrible Protestant schools of their own wherein their offspring can be duly indoctrinated. Not only this but as the public schools are in such a bad condition according to their theory, it is of course, their duty everywhere to pack the public school system as far as possible with missionaries in the guise of teachers who shall quietly and gradually guide the young herealleged heresies of their fathers. Then, too, in so doing they will absorb more or less of the revenues of wise be squandered on the wicked outsiders. It seems that this benign theory has been carried out in certain schools in Pasco county, Florida, where "sisters" in the garb of their order taught public schools, and in-cidentally did all the quiet proselyting necessary. This, coming to the knowledge of the county school board, resulted in the following action by the

Resolution of the Board of Public Instrucschools of Pasco county.

"WHEREAS: There has come to the attention of the individual members of the Board of Public Instruction of Pasco county, certain rumors concerning the propogation of religious doctrines in the public schools of Pasco county, and